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**Discussion of BHICA  
Results**

West Regional Meeting

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## Purpose

- To discuss common issues that arose from the BHICA results.
- To address these issues using TTA goals from quarterly and any additional new goals.

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## Description of the Behavioral Health Integration Capacity Assessment (BHICA)

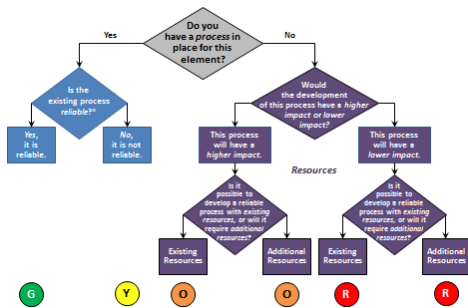
- Evaluates behavioral health organizations in their ability to implement fully integrated care
- Examines each of three potential approaches:  
coordinated care, co-locate, build capacity in-house
- Inform Training and Technical Assistance (TTA) goals



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The majority of BHICA items are coded into 4 categories:



## BHICA Categories:

### Green

There is a process in place and it is reliable

### Yellow

There is a process in place and it is not reliable

### Orange

There is no a process in place and it will have a higher impact

### Red

There is no process in place and it will have a lower impact

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## BHICA Results

- 53 of 72 agencies completed the BHICA
- 10 out of 11 agencies in the West completed the BHICA

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## BHICA Discussion By Section



Section 2: Assessing Your Infrastructure



Section 3: Screening and Identification of Population



Section 4: Assessing Optimal Integration



Section 5: Financing Integration

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### Section 2.1: Capacity to Collect Data, Exchange Information and Monitor Population Health

The **highest** and **lowest** percent of green responses:

...able to manage chronic conditions in the EHR?	100%
...use an electronic health record (EHR)?	100%
...securely exchange individuals' information with other practices?	100%
...generate clinical care and recovery oriented service reports for each individual?	40%
Is the EHR able to interface with systems outside of the organization?	33%
...participate in a secure, shared electronic messaging service?	29%



### Section 2.2: Progress and Outcome Tracking

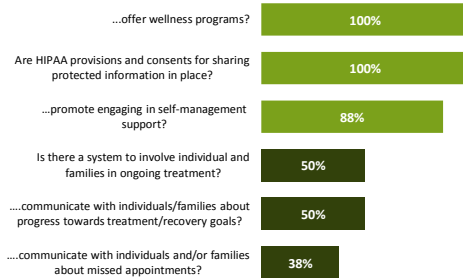
The **highest** and **lowest** percent of green responses:

...use individual-level data to determine kind of improvements?	88%
...track individual changes in behavioral health outcomes?	75%
...track medication adjustments or changes?	75%
...track provider satisfaction measures?	38%
...track communication of results to individuals and follow-up?	38%
...track measures of self-reported health outcomes?	25%



### Section 2.3 & 2.4: Communication and Connection with Community Resources

The **highest** and **lowest** percent of green responses:




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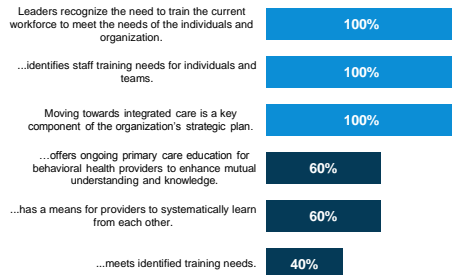
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### Section 2.5: Leadership and Staff Engagement

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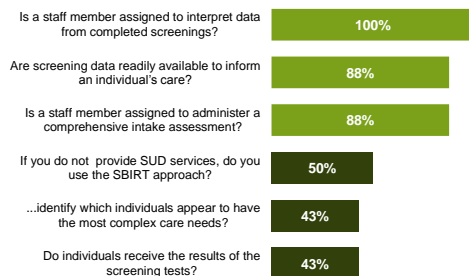
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### Section 3: Screening and Identification of Population

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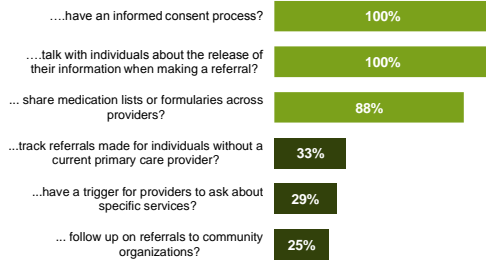
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## Section 4.1: Care Coordination

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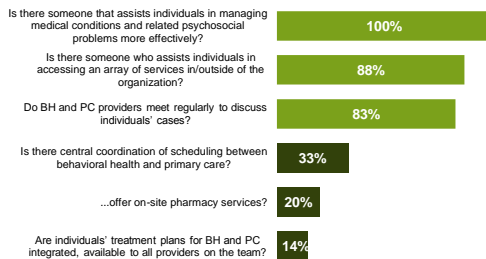
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## Section 4.2 & 4.3: Co-location and In-House Primary Care

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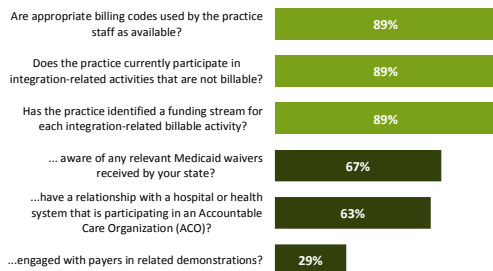
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## Section 5: Financing Integration

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## Meet as a Team.....

What resonated with you?

What ideas do you hope to implement?

Which other organizations are doing something that you want to replicate?

Did the conversation inspire you to add a new TTA goal?

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## Whole-Group Discussion

What resonated with your team?

What ideas does your team hope to implement?

Which other organizations are doing something that your team wants to replicate?

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